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SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner made in the Final Office Action dated July 11, 2002 finally rejecting claims 1-9. Claim 10 is objected to.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. 1.191 Notice of Appeal fee of \$320.00 to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, Deposit Account No. 11-0600. Any additional fees deemed necessary should also be charged to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. Two additional copies of this Notice are enclosed for that purpose.

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Applicants request a one month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed July 11, 2002 resetting the response date to November 12, 2002 (November 11, 2002 the Patent Office is closed). The extension fee of \$110.00 should be charged to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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